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SCHEMES PROGRAMMES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF WOOL AND WOOLLEN PRODUCTS
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes and programmes being implemented by the Union Government under the Central Wool Development Board (CWDB) for the development of wool and woollen products during the Tenth Five Year Plan and proposed to be implemented during the Eleventh Five Year Plan;

(b) the details of assistance provided by the Government to CWDB, Private Sector and Non-Governmental Organisations for the development of wool and woollen products during each year of Tenth Five Year Plan, State-wise; and

(c) the funds allocated for the purpose during the Eleventh Five Year Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a): The Government of India through Central Wool Development Board,Jodhpur had implemented the following schemes and programmes during the Tenth Five Year Plan:

(i) Integrated Wool Improvement Programme (IWIP)

(ii) Quality Processing of Wool

The schemes/programmes which are to be implemented during the Eleventh Five Year Plan are:

(i) Integrated Wool Improvement & Development Programme

(ii) Quality Processing of Wool & Woollen and

(iii) Social Security Scheme.

(b): The Government had released Rs.35.00 crore to Central Wool Development Board during the Tenth Five Year Plan to implement various schemes for the growth and development of wool and woollen sector. The details of the financial assistance provided to private sector and non-governmental organizations for the development of wool and woollen products during each year of the Tenth Five Year Plan is given in the Annexure.

(c): The Government have proposed an allocation of Rs.82.19 crores during the Eleventh Five Year Plan to implement various schemes/programmes in the wool sector.